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Railway Schools
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Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether there is shortage of railway schools in the country including Uttar Pradesh;

(b) if so, the details thereof, State-wise and the reasons therefor; and

(c) the steps being taken by the Government for setting up of railway schools?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a): No, Madam. However, as provided in the Constitution of India, 'Education' figures in the concurrent list (Seventh Schedule) and hence it is Subject of State Government/ Ministry of Human Resource Development of Govt. of India. Therefore, Ministry of Railways, as a policy, have decided not to open any new Railway School.

(b) & (c): Do not arise.
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